

SIERRA LEONE											
Selected Macro-Economic Statistics											
INDICATOR	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Population (Million)	6.0	6.1	6.2	6.3	6.4	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.9	7.0	7.1
Real GDP Growth (% Change)	15.2	20.7	4.6	-20.5	6.1	6.0	6.1	6.8	6.8	7.1	7.4
Current GDP (US\$ Billion)	3.8	4.9	5.0	4.3	3.7	3.9	4.1	4.4	4.7	5.2	5.6
Current GDP PPP (US\$ billion)	9.7	11.9	12.6	10.1	10.9	11.8	12.7	13.9	15.1	16.5	18.1
Current GDP per capita (US\$)	635.9	805.3	803.4	672.9	577.1	593.9	616.8	648.2	688.9	735.4	786.4
Inflation, average consumer prices (% Change)	13.8	9.8	8.3	9.0	11.5	16.9	10.6	9.2	8.7	8.2	7.7
Current Account Balance (US\$ Billion)	-1.2	-0.9	-0.9	-0.7	-0.7	-0.8	-0.8	-0.8	-0.9	-0.9	-0.8
Current Account Balance (% of GDP)	-31.8	-17.5	-18.2	-17.4	-19.7	-21.1	-18.5	-18.5	-18.7	-17.5	-15.1
Total foreign debt (US\$ Billion)	1.1	1.4	1.2	1.4	1.5	1.7	1.8	..	..	..	..
Total debt (% of Exports G&S)	86.1	75.9	79.6	163.7	140.5	130.6	131.1	..	..	..	..
Total debt (% of GDP)	29.6	28.4	24.7	32.4	39.6	42.2	39.3	..	..	..	..
International reserves (% of Total debt)	42.5	38.2	48.5	42.0	33.1	29.3	32.0	..	..	..	..
Debt-service ratio, paid (% of Exports G&S)	1.6	1.5	2.2	6.2	3.2	4.0	4.2	..	..	..	..
Debt-service ratio, due (% of Exports G&S)	1.7	1.5	2.3	6.2	3.2	4.0	4.2	..	..	..	..
Debt-service paid (% of GDP)	0.5	0.6	0.7	1.2	0.9	1.3	1.3	..	..	..	..
Interest paid (% of debt-service paid)	27.8	38.1	24.6	15.7	30.4	23.7	27.0	..	..	..	..
Interest paid (% of Exports G&S)	0.4	0.6	0.6	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.1	..	..	..	..
Interest paid (% of GDP)	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	..	..	..	..
Effective Interest rate (%)	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.8	1.0	1.1	1.3	..	..	..	..
Budget balance (% of GDP)	-5.2	-1.6	-3.7	-4.5	-8.0	-6.9	-6.7	..	..	..	..
Stock of money M1 (US\$ Billion)	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	..	..	..	..
Stock of money M2 (US\$ Billion)	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.0	..	..	..	..
M1 (% Change)	20.0	9.0	32.4	20.6	6.5	5.5	18.1	..	..	..	..
M2 (% Change)	22.0	10.7	23.9	11.8	17.9	14.2	29.8	..	..	..	..
Net debt (% of Exports G&S)	49.5	46.9	41.0	94.9	94.1	92.3	89.2	..	..	..	..
Net debt (% of GDP)	17.0	17.5	12.7	18.8	26.5	29.8	26.7	..	..	..	..
National currency per US\$, period average	4,344.0	4,332.5	4,524.2	5,080.7	6,289.9	7,396.3	8,337.5
Real effective exchange rate (CPI-based)	82.4	89.1	91.8	100.0	90.9	76.8	77.6

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